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SCHOOL DIST. ASK CONSOLIDATION

Sometime ago Arthur Wakeley and David Knecht, residing in school district No. 4 of Grayling township petitioned the township board to transfer their property to District No. 3. The township board, feeling that this would remove considerable property valuation from No. 4 and might cause a hardship to other property owners, concluded to hold a joint meeting in that region, inviting in those interested in the welfare of the above districts and also District No. 8, to meet with them on Monday evening, May 24th, when the question would be considered, and also the prospect of consolidation of these districts.

There was a good attendance, each district effected being well represented. Supervisor Tony Nelson explained that the township board had no personal interest in the matter and hoped that the property owners in those districts might unite upon some plan for the general good and possible improvement over the present conditions.

The Feldhauser school, where the meeting was held, is in District No. 5. The Wakeley school is in No. 4 and the Stephan school in No. 3. It appears that at the present time, there are but few pupils in the Wakeley and Feldhauser school districts, and none in the Stephan district.

Mr. Nelson called upon those present to express their desires on the subject and a number of good suggestions were offered. Seeley Wakeley said that he could see no advantage in consolidation. Arthur Wakeley was in favor of the consolidation of Districts Nos. 4 and 5. Albert Hoffman favored consolidation. Also David Knecht and Mrs. Hoffman favored consolidation. Mrs. Seeley Wakeley wanted to know if, in case of consolidation, pupils from that district would be transported.

Mrs. Arthur Wakeley, Mrs. Hugo Schreiber and Mrs. David Knecht favored consolidation. Prosecuting Attorney Nellist, who accompanied the board to the meeting, offered some points in the law regarding the consolidation of the schools, and in answer to Hugo Schreiber explained the term of school required upon the valuation of the district affected. Nine months school period is required in districts having a valuation of \$15,000 or over; eight months are permitted where the valuation is less than that number and more than \$50,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Feldhauser stated that they were not specially concerned which way it was decided. Henry and George Stephan of District No. 3 said that they were in favor of consolidation with District No. 1. The Grayling school, while Mrs. Henry Stephan said that she was satisfied to have District No. 3 remain as it is. There are no school children of age in their district at the present time and no school is required. Also Mrs. John Stephan would favor consolidation with District No. 1, provided that transportation would be provided. The prosecuting attorney explained that the matter of transportation rests with the school board entirely. O. P. Schumacher, one of the members of the township board, said that he favored the consolidation of schools in general wherever possible, which usually makes it possible to have better schools. His contention seemed to be supported by the other members of the board, Ralph Hanna and C. O. McCullough, the clerk. A number of others offered suggestions, whose names were taken on the question of the consolidation of Districts Nos. 4 and 5, each district voting separately. The result was as follows:

Dist. No. 4. Those in favor of consolidation, 7; opposed, 1.

Dist. No. 5. Those in favor of consolidation, 6; opposed, none.

Mr. Wakeley and Mr. Knecht, who had petitioned the board to transfer to District No. 3, consented to withhold their request until after the matter of consolidation had been either approved or disapproved by the election of the districts.

On motion the board meeting adjourned.

A special meeting of the board was held Wednesday evening when a resolution was passed, declaring the consolidation of Districts Nos. 4 and 5. A special school meeting will have to be held in each of the districts soon for the purpose of either ratifying or defeating the action of the board. It is hoped that the matter may be fully considered before the regular annual meetings that are held each year early in July.

It may be possible that the Stephan district No. 3 may petition the consolidation of that district with Grayling, No. 1. If that is the desire of those in that district, no doubt Grayling district will also make such petition.

EDITORIAL OUTING

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 10, 11 and 12, has been set aside for the annual summer outing of the Michigan Press Association, and Harp Springs will be the destination of the weekly series of the state where for three days they will revel in the luxuries of the playground of the north country as guests of the Harp Springs Chamber of Commerce and the representatives of her summer resort facilities.

For three whole days and nights pen-pushers from the land of the Wolverine will put on all the earmarks of those to the north and east on great club courses, eat from sumptuous laden banquet tables, dance the Charleston if they wish on polished oaken floors and ride on the bosom of the inland seas, all at the expense of a hospitable people who that hurt and offend.

THE CASSIDY BAKERY

The Cassidy Bakery is a very familiar name with Grayling people, in fact it was famous all over Northern Michigan, where its products were found in nearly every place of business where bread and baked goods were to be found.

For a brief period of years the founder, Thomas Cassidy, relinquished the ownership of this well-known institution to Thomas Trudo, formerly of Chaboygan. But recently it came back into the Cassidy family with Joe Cassidy, son of Thomas Cassidy, at the helm.

A visit to that place recently found it a hive of industry, with rich brown loaves coming out of the oven in enormous quantities. And delicious pies, cakes and cookies too, piping hot, ready for sale or for shipment to outside cities, were coming from the huge ovens. The place was spotlessly clean and orderly and the bakers in neat white suits.

Joe, wearing the smile that never comes off, gave us a hearty welcome and invited us in to see how things were done. It was cold outside and the heat from the ovens was very comforting indeed, and the sight and smell of the good things made the invitation most welcome. Joseph Smith, who was head baker for the Cassidy as well as Mr. Trudo, is still on the job and it was a pleasure to watch how dexterously he spread the frosting over the delicious lemon and cream pies and cakes, finishing up with scallops of frosting in curly, wiggly designs. Joseph probably has a name for these things but all we know about it is that they looked very pretty and inviting and tasted delicious at the table.

In the store were two smiling and immaculately dressed clerks—Henry Trudo and Ingoborg Hanson, busy waiting upon a store full of customers.

This part of the institution too, is spotlessly clean and goods are displayed behind polished glass panels or show cases. The congenial proprietor seemed to be happy and contented in the new work. He said that he got down to the bakery at about 2:30 o'clock mornings and that he didn't mind the early rising a bit, in fact he liked it.

Other products the very best quality of ingredients and are using the very latest and best methods in producing our baked goods. We want to give the people of Grayling the very best obtainable anywhere and will use every effort to accomplish it, and hope that the people will appreciate it.

We believe they will, and that the Grayling people are going to support Mr. Cassidy in his efforts and help to create a volume of business that may tax to the limit the capacity of that bakery. Both Joe and his father have shown the keenest enterprise in such condition that they are credit to Grayling and win the endorsement of those who come to see us. While Joe is still a young man, he has practically been brought up in the bakery business and under the able guidance of his father, is sure to attain splendid success.

are anxious for us to visit them and view the wonders of that great golden spot of all the universe.

PAIRSONS RESTAURANT NOT CLOSED

We can only regret an item of news that appeared in the Friday issue in our edition of last week which read as follows:

"John Pairson has discontinued his restaurant."

This was a mistake and the correspondent sending in the news denies having knowledge of it. This paragraph appeared in the paper in a different handwriting and just how they became written is quite a mystery, in as much as the correspondent says the letter was mailed in regular form. Whoever may have written it, either was misinformed or intended to injure Mr. Pairson's business.

The fact is the Pairson restaurant is doing more business than ever before and is a place that is well appreciated both by people of Frederic and the touring public.

The place is spotlessly clean and the service is as good as could reasonably be expected in a small town. And Mr. Pairson says that his ice cream business is fine. He seems to take pride in keeping his restaurant clean and his buildings well painted, and his store would be a credit to any town. We are indeed sorry if the article saying that he had discontinued the restaurant has in any degree injured his business. He surely deserves credit for the enterprise he has shown in the town and we hope that he may win the success that his efforts deserve.

We like to rely upon our correspondents to send us the news and tell things of interest about their communities. Jokes and well meaning jibes add interest when they are told without malice, but things that may unwarrantably embarrass any of the citizens are undesirable and we ask our correspondents to please not to mention such. We do not air our own personal grievances in our news columns nor slam our enemies. The latter method would be taking an unfair advantage and when we fight we are willing to adopt the same weapons our opponents may use and not rely upon the power that is accorded us as publisher. It is an almost sacred authority and must not be abused, and we ask our correspondents to share this responsibility with us.

Stinging remarks and witty sarcasm that is intended to injure, when once published, cannot be recalled and they hurt. There is enough misery in this world that cannot be avoided, so let's extend the cup of cheer where ever opportunity is afforded, and close the doors to despair and things that hurt and offend.

Memorial Day



MEMORIAL DAY IN GRAYLING

Grayling American Legion Post 106 have completed their plans for the observance of Memorial day, which will differ a little from their program of former years.

On Sunday, May 30th they will decorate all graves of deceased comrades of the Civil and World wars in both Grayling and Frederic cemeteries and the following morning, Monday, will hold their services.

All those wishing to join in the procession are invited to meet at the Legion hall, at 9:30 A. M. Monday where the line of march will be formed. At promptly ten o'clock they will march to the Cedar street bridge, where short services will be held in honor of those who died at sea, after which the line of march will proceed to the mound in Elmwood cemetery where the ritualistic service of the Legion will be held.

A feature of the day will be moving pictures of the procession that will be taken by a Legion member, J. Waldemar Olson, and the Post members will appreciate a good turnout of citizens and auto owners in order to make a good showing.

The Legion will not hold services in Frederic this year, owing to the fact that the time between services is so short that it has caused too much hurry in order to get back to Grayling to hold the services on scheduled graves of deceased comrades which is decorated as has been their custom.

M-93 AND M-14 BEING TARIAD

The State Highway department began last Monday the spreading of tarvia on M-93, beginning near the warehouses at the military reservation and working toward Grayling and County. Commissioner Ralph Hanna reports one mile ready for travel. By this Thursday night it is expected that the work will be completed to the beginning of the "stone road" about a mile from the river bridge. And by Saturday it is expected that the highway will be completely tared.

It has been necessary to ask motorists to detour while the work was being done and until the road was ready for travel. Mr. Hanna says some have deliberately, during the night, ignored the barricades and driven through the fresh tarvia, thus doing considerable damage to the road and also injuring their tires. He asks that people please co-operate with the engineers in this work and, when necessary, to detour as directed.

During the time that work is being done on that road between the bridge and Lake street the line will be completely closed, during which period motorists wishing to reach the lake will have to detour by way of Simpson worn by a few.

YOUNG MOTHER DIES

The home of John Ensign of Frederic was made sad last Thursday when his wife, Mrs. Kathryn Ensign, passed away at Grayling. Mrs. Ensign, leaving a family of six children, the youngest but two weeks old. Mrs. Ensign was brought to the hospital the fore part of the week in a serious condition, and although every effort was put forth to aid her, she passed quietly away at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening.

The remains were taken to the home in Frederic where the funeral was held Sunday afternoon, services being held at the M. P. church, conducted by Rev. Grandall, pastor of Prescott was born at Alger, Michigan, July 4, 1894. November 2, 1912 her marriage to John Ensign took place in Grayling, since which time they have resided in Frederic.

The death of the young wife and mother is very sad, as she was most kind and loved her family and home. Besides her husband and six children, Laura, Freeman, Floyd, Francis, Clara and Betty, she was survived by three sisters and four brothers, Mrs. Mae Weiss of Milwaukee, Wis., Mrs. Margaret Burch, Wayne, James Colbert, Flint, William Colbert, New Baltimore, Michael Colbert, who is a sailor, and Mrs. Sadie Ensign-John Colbert of Frederic.

The other four children will remain at home. Mr. Ensign and children are extended the heartfelt sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

Lack of motion picture stars equaling American standards of beauty is handicapping British producers of photoplays. They explain that the athletic English girl lacks the grace and charm of Hollywood's sirens.

Supplanting the hairline eyebrow, once considered the height of the mode, is the faded tried in London, of shaving off eyebrows entirely. Models in London shops are practicing this "beauty" artifice.

A more "snappy" band for wrist-watch is being tried in London, instead of the usual plain black moire. Wristlets in fancy colors, drivers wishing to reach the lake will have to detour by way of Simpson worn by a few.

IN THE REALM OF WOMANHOOD

On Memorial Sunday, May 30, and again on Decoration Day, which by law falls on Monday, May 31st, this nation will join in its annual tribute to the soldiers of all wars in which this country has been engaged, but particularly to the boys who from 1861 to 1865 prevented the disintegration of these United States of America, and preserved to the world this cradle of liberty where the oppressed of all lands might find inspiration and achieve for themselves the heritage of freedom which is so rightfully theirs.

This year we are going to be saddened by the thought that it will probably be the last time the remaining members of the Grand Army of the Republic will be able as a body to take part in the program of tribute to the memory of their heroic deeds and sacrifices—both to the living and the dead.

We do not believe that in former years we have paid sufficient attention to this occasion, many of us having been concerned in making it more of a personal holiday than we have in helping to repay the debt we owe to those who left the workshop and the farm, the forum and the firesides of the land to offer their lives, if need be, for the preservation of the Union.

Let us remember that the time is not far distant when we can have them with us only in memory. The time is short before we must take the Stars and Stripes from their fast falling hands and assure them its honor will forever remain unsullied through the years that are to come. What a splendid example of American citizenship it will be for us to lay aside our own personal desires this year and join in paying them the greatest ovation they have ever received.

AJAX NOW KNOWN AS NASH LIGHT 6

Heavy Demand for Car Brings Absorption of Ajax Motors by The Nash Motors Co., to Consolidate Mfg. Operations

The Nash-built Ajax hereafter will be known as the Nash Light Six, the Ajax Motors Company, a subsidiary of Nash Motors, having been entirely absorbed by the parent company. The consolidation marks the first anniversary of the Ajax with a production of 25,000 cars. Many processes among the various Nash plants being identical, the consolidation of manufacturing operations affords increased production facilities for the Nash Light Six, while this increase of output, manufacturing interests made it advisable for the parent company to absorb its subsidiary.

Announcement of the change in name from Ajax Six to Nash Light Six also marks the greatest five-month period of business in the Nash history. The upward soaring demand during January, February, March, April and May drove the total sales and production to a figure approximately 70 per cent of the total sales for the whole of last year.

"In all my twenty-five years of manufacturing, I have never felt greater satisfaction in any product than in the Ajax Six, now known as the Nash Light Six," said C. W. Nash, president of The Nash Motors Company. "So far as I know there has never been produced a car which from the very outset gave a greater measure of satisfaction and trouble-free performance. The public was quick to recognize the qualities embodied in the Ajax and the demand has made advisable the closer manufacturing relations of our Racine, Kenosha and Milwaukee plants."

"The Ajax was introduced on May 27th of last year but no immediate effort was made to attain sizable production. This was in strict accordance with the manufacturing program we had adopted. Only a few Iron Mountain, but has not decided the balance of the year, through-out the middle of July, cement plant are apparently sure to proceed in larger volume. All of the early cars were shipped to points within a radius of fifty or one hundred miles of the factory so that we could keep an eye on their performance. If adjustments were necessary we wanted the cars 'close to home' where our own men could make them."

"While we had spent a great many months in engineering, developing and testing the Ajax and were reasonably sure of the car at the time of its introduction, we were nevertheless surprised at the almost total absence of service requirements even on these first cars to be produced. I am frank to say that in all my years of manufacturing, I had never seen such satisfactory performance in a new car."

The Nash Light Six plant at Racine, Wisconsin was equipped a year ago with brand-new machinery of the latest pattern and design known to the automobile industry. Because of the demand for the product, additional machinery was installed early this year and production facilities increased 100 per cent.

Manufacturing facilities for the day and the work is being pushed by a large force of men. Nash Light Six are again increased because of this consolidation.

Nash models are now available in three series—the Light Six, Special Six and Advanced Six.

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The lowest priced Six with Body by Fisher

Not only is the Pontiac the lowest priced Six offering closed bodies by Fisher but the bodies themselves represent an achievement in style, spaciousness and excellence of detail, that lends new luster to the Fisher tradition of craftsmanship.

Oakland Six, companion to the Pontiac Six, \$1025 to \$1295. All prices at factory. Easy to pay on the General Motors Time Payment Plan.

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PONTIAC SIX CHIEF OF THE SIXES

Principal Events In Grayling 25 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 25 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, May 30, 1901. Keep the horses off from the streets.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Olson returned from a visit to Bay City Tuesday. Rev. S. G. Taylor, with his wife and children, came up Tuesday for a week's visit.

Mrs. L. Fournier returned from her visit to Detroit and the east yesterday. Judge Sharpe will deliver the Decoration Day address at West Branch. There are ten cases on the Circuit Court docket this week at Grayling for violation of the liquor law.

The ice man has not been very happy this year, as it has not yet been warm enough to melt the ice. Sheriff Owen took John O'Neill to Iowa Friday to serve his six months sentence.

Mrs. J. J. Coventry was called to Holly last week by the illness of her grandchild. Rev. J. J. Willits is holding services at the Protestant Methodist church every Tuesday evening.

Blue Ribbon carriages that is a dandy. Alonzo Colten has left his clerkship at Pournier's and gone to running a saw in a mill near Gaylord. E. Douglas is rebuilding his residence, putting on a second story and adding to its size. It will make a pleasant home.

Chas. Ginnbaugh has his shingle mill at Portage Lake and his saw mill near Roscommon, both running full time. Miss Alice Brown has been offered a desirable position in the schools at Iron Mountain, but has not decided whether to accept or not.

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FOR SALE—Dodge Special, Calif. sedan top and touring top, 1926 model, excellent finish and motor. E. K. Gunther, M. C. R. R. Frederic, Mich.

FOR SALE—**1 SANITARY COUCH**, 1 baby's bed, cutter and buggy. Inquire of Mrs. J. L. Martin.

FOR SALE—**BY OWNER 20 ACRES** located N^W 1/4 of Sec. 18, Township 26 North Range 3 West. Make offer in first letter. Address: L. Pangburn, 2129 Sedgwick St., Chicago, Ill. 5-20-4

FOR SALE—**A FEW PANSY Plants** in bloom also dahlias, nice growing plants, red, pink and white. Mrs. J. D. Murphy, north side near flooring mill.

FOR SALE—**TWO DOUBLE-BARREL** shot guns (L. C. Smith and Parker). Two kitchen tables, lower part of kitchen cabinet, fruit cans, electric iron, 2 rockers and library table. Hard coal burner, cheap. Mrs. George E. Smith.

HOUSE FOR RENT—**INQUIRE OF** Margaret Jensen.

WANTED—**SECOND HAND Couch** or davenport. Must be cheap. Mrs. Glenn Wilcox, No. 3, DuPont avenue.

HOUSE FOR SALE—**CHAS. A. 5-** room house with electric lights, garage, woodshed and coal bin. Inquire of Fred Hanson. 5-27-3

FOR SALE—**IRON SAFE**, Inquire of Charles Decker. Call at Mrs. Anna Bennett's opposite Model Bakery.

CAMP TENT FOR SALE—**GOOD** as new. Inquire at Avalanche office.

FOR SALE—**BUSINESS BLOCK** on Main street. Easy terms. Inquire at Avalanche office. tf.

FOR SALE—**GOOD HOUSE, NINE** rooms, basement, cellar, 16x14. Corner lot and garage on M-14. Good location for gas station. Price \$1200.00. Chas. Ewalt, Mackinaw City, Mich., Lock Box 74.

BAREE

SON OF KAZAN

by JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD.

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—Part wolf, part dog, when two men, an Indian and a white man, met in a clearing, the Indian, a young man, was suddenly struck by a lightning bolt.

CHAPTER II.—Baree is finally hung on the cross. He is dead, but his spirit is not. He is still there, in the clearing, waiting for the day when he will be reborn.

CHAPTER III.—The white man, who is a hunter, is looking for the Indian. He is looking for the Indian who was struck by lightning.

CHAPTER IV.—Following the white man, the black bear, Baree, is looking for the Indian. He is looking for the Indian who was struck by lightning.

CHAPTER V.—Baree makes friends with a colony of beavers, losing much of his sense of loneliness.

CHAPTER VI.—Bush McGargart, factor at Lac Rain, is looking for the Indian. He is looking for the Indian who was struck by lightning.

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SAFE. An arrow of this kind she carried close to the wigwam, and on it she heaped load after load of wood until she had a great pile.

The rain had cooled the air, and the tonic of it—laden with the breath of the balsam and spruce—set the Willows blood dancing in her veins.

She forgot the discomfort of the deluge. She forgot the Factor from Lac Rain, and what Pierrot had told her. She danced about Baree, tossing her sea of hair about her, her naked body shimmering in and out of it, her eyes aglow, her lips laughing in her unreasoning happiness—the happiness of being alive, of drinking into her lungs the perfumed air of the forest, of seeing the stars and the wonderful sky above her.

She stopped before Baree and cried laughingly at him, holding out her arms:

"Come, Baree—if you could only throw off your skin as easily as I have thrown off my clothes!"

She drew a deep breath, and her eyes shone with a sudden inspiration. Slowly her mouth formed into a round O, and leaning still nearer to Baree, she whispered:

"It will be deep and sweet tonight. Nings—yes, we will go!"

She called to him softly as she slipped on her wet moccasins and followed the creek into the forest. A hundred yards from the open she came to the edge of a pool.

It was deep and full tonight, three times as big as it had been before the storm. She could hear the gurgle and inrush of water. On its ruffled surface the stars shone. For a moment or two she stood poised on a rock with the cool depths half a dozen feet below her.

Then she flung back her hair and shot like a slim white arrow through the starlight.

Baree saw her go. He heard the plunge of her body. For half an hour he lay flat and still, close to the edge of the pool, and watched her. Once she was gone a long time. He whined. He knew she was not like the beaver and the otter, and he was filled with an immense relief when she came up.

So their first night passed—storm, the cool deep pool, the big fire, and later, when the Willows' clothes and the blanket had dried, a few hours' sleep. At dawn they returned to the cabin. It was a cautious approach. There was no smoke coming from the chimney. The door was closed. Pierrot and Bush McGargart were gone.

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Original Juntas
The juntas that appear in modern European history, were the provincial councils of Spain. When Napoleon sent his armies to overrun Spain in 1808 they declared against France. The word junta is the name given to the leaders of the "Wing party" in England during the reigns of William and Mary, and Anne, 1689 to 1714.

Founded by Women
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HOUSE KNOCKS OUT HAUGEN FARM BILL

Rival Measures Are Withdrawn; Still Have Hopes of Action During Session.

Washington.—The Haugen farm subsidy bill went down to defeat in the house by a vote of 212 to 167 on one of the most strikingly non-partisan divisions on record, indicated by the fact that both Democrats and Republicans voted to defeat the bill by the identical majority of 23 votes.

Realizing that any plan containing a subsidy or an equalization fee cannot be passed by the house, farm leaders, headed by Representative Dickinson, Republican of Iowa, later met to agree on some legislation embodying the plan, advocated by President Coolidge, of increased co-operation among the farmers in the matter of marketing machinery, based on the theory that the farmers' greatest aid must come from himself, free from governmental interference.

Mr. Dickinson, after the vote, said that as far as the farmer was concerned it had all along been a question of "the Haugen bill, or nothing," and that the Republican party had missed a great opportunity. Nevertheless, he, along with other farm representatives, have hopes of acting legislation at this session which, while avoiding the subsidy and the equalization fee, will establish machinery for disposal of the farm-ers' surplus.

Representatives Thatcher, Republican of Kansas, and Aswell, Democrat of Louisiana, both sponsors of rival farm measures, asked unanimous consent to withdraw their bills, which they had offered as amendments to the Haugen bill. Unanimous consent was obtained and then Representative Haugen, Republican of Iowa, amid cheers from the farm bloc, moved that the house sitting as the committee of the whole, recommend his bill to the house for passage.

Representative Madden, Republican of Illinois, then threw the house in a tumult by offering a motion recommending the Haugen bill to the committee on agriculture, thus killing it. A viva voce vote favored this measure, 167 to 176, and a vote by tellers confirmed this action by 171 to 165. The biggest surprise came when a roll call on the motion to recommit was ordered, and the house went into the face of its two previous decisions and defeated the motion, 182 to 200.

Mr. Thatcher, spokesman for the administration farm relief plan, said: "The Aswell and Thatcher bills are both on the calendar. All this propaganda out of Washington has been used to poison the farmer against the Thatcher bill and Secretary of Agriculture Jardine. Let the matter rest a while and see if the farmers really want legislation. If they do we'll give them something without anything like the Haugen subsidy."

"I haven't given up hope," Mr. Dickinson said. "The senate may send over the co-operative bill with the Norris amendment."

This amendment contains the same features as the Haugen bill, except that the subsidy is \$350,000,000, and a deferment on the equalization fee is provided, pending definite permission from congress every time a fee is to be levied.

The news of the defeat of the Haugen bill was so sudden that definite plans have not yet been drawn up by farm relief advocates in either branch. It seems improbable that the senate would pass the farm bill just outlined containing the very features which the house killed.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS
News of the defeat of Senator George Wharton Pepper, in Pennsylvania, was hailed by Washington as a victory and a forecast for early modification of the national prohibition law.

The policy of examining and selecting immigrants to this country at the source has been extended to include Germany, Norway and Denmark. The system already is in effect in Great Britain, Irish Free State, and is regarded by officials here as a success.

"Gobs" will no longer be deprived of their chewing gum ration while away from port. It was announced at the Navy department. Under a new ruling chewing gum, which has been barred from sale on the navy's ships since 1911, has been again restored to good standing.

Legislative regulation or control of the coal industry was vigorously opposed in resolutions adopted by the National Retail Coal Dealers' association in convention at Washington.

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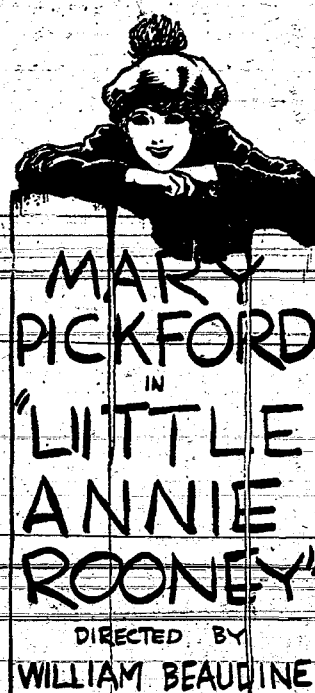
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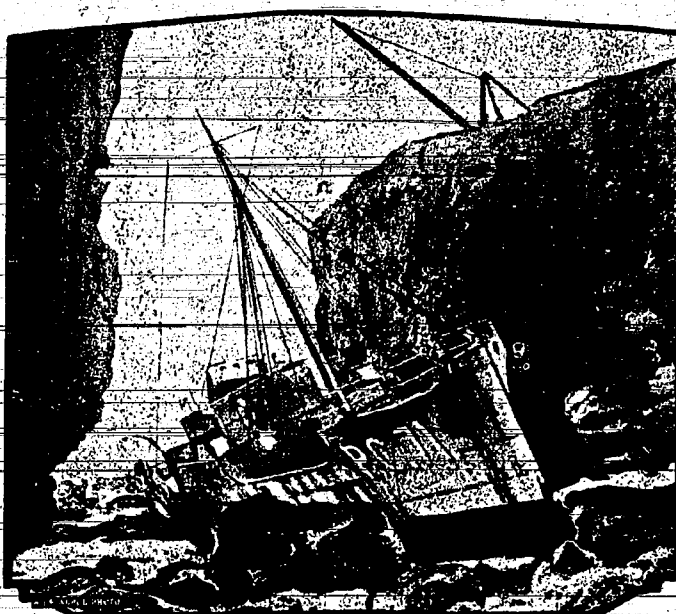
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Mystery Ship Goes Ashore



This mystery ship, "P. C. 71," which went ashore on the rocky coast south of the Tyne, England, is now in the hands of ship wreckers, as it was found impossible to float her. The picture shows a crane erected on top of a cliff, lifting out some of the engine-room gear.

More than 1,000 cities and towns laid concrete streets last year

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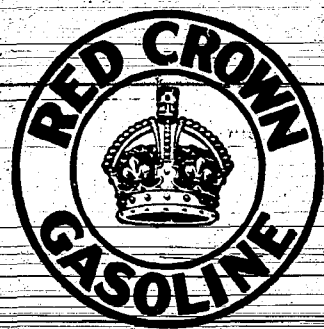
I like the ring of the following from L. H. Bailey, in his book of poems, "Wind and Weather." It is much quoted. The more I read it the better I appreciate it. It is a classic in its class:

Farmer's Challenge
 "Blow ye winds and lay on ye storms
 And come ye pests in rabble swarms
 And fall ye blights in legion forms—
 I am here; I surrender not
 Nor yield my place one piece nor jot;
 For these are my lands
 And these are my hands
 And I am bone of the folk that resist-
 lessly stands."

The blood of old plowmen runs hard in my veins,
 (Fennemen and yeomen and battle-
 men all,
 Who fought and who flinched not by
 marsh or wall,
 Who met the bold day and chased
 every alarm,
 "My fatherkind sleep, but I hear the
 old call—
 And fight the hot battle by force and
 by farm;
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To Grow a Big Crop of Potatoes

1. Have well drained fertile soil.
 2. Prepare a deep seed bed.
 3. Plant seed-free from disease.
 4. Plant seed improved by selection.
 5. Treat all seed for disease.
 6. Keep seed from sprouting till planted.
 7. Cultivate thoroughly.
 8. Spray with Bordeaux mixture.
 9. Rotate crops with legumes.
- Don't plant potatoes after potatoes. There is no other crop grown on the American continent whose yield and quality so accurately reflects the caliber of the grower as do potatoes. The yield and quality of our potatoes are an indication of the brain and effort we put into the growing of them.
- We can have small potatoes or big potatoes.
 We can have knobby potatoes or smooth potatoes.
 We can have diseased potatoes or clean, healthy potatoes.
 We can eat from our own field, good mealy potatoes or soggy, bitter, green potatoes.
 It's up to us.



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Show me the kind of potatoes you put into storage or on your table, and I will know the kind of a man you are.
 —P. G. Holden.
 (Professor Holden is as competent to say these things as anyone you know of).

In his book "Crop Production and Soil Management," Professor Joseph F. Cox of Michigan State College says:

"Potatoes grow best on fertile sandy loams and loams well charged with organic matter and well drained. They can be grown successfully on silt loams and clay loams when in excellent condition of tilth; but the greatest commercial development and highest quality product are found on sandy and light loam soils."

"Potato ground should be fall-plowed where possible, to a good depth," says Professor Cox. "A clover or alfalfa sod which has been well manured with six or eight loads per acre of good stable manure, should be turned under to pave the way for a good yield of potatoes. When spring plowing is necessary, it should be done as early as possible, to a depth of 6 or 7 inches. The seed bed for potatoes should be firmly compacted and the surface worked into a condition approaching garden tilth."

Without a doubt the increased acreage of alfalfa and sweet clover in Michigan, during the past five years, has been an important factor in raising the average yield of potatoes. Legume crops are not only the foundation of profitable farming, but they are almost essential in the profitable production of high-quality potatoes.

Reading farmers usually are leading farmers.

Seed Treatment of Potatoes
 (By Professor G. H. Coons, Michigan State College.)

Potatoes are treated by soaking them for from one hour to one and one-half hours in a solution of two ounces of corrosive sublimate dissolved in 30 gallons of water. The solution must be strengthened from time to time as explained below.

Corrosive sublimate (mercury bichloride) is deadly poison and the solution used for dipping is poison. Use every care to prevent accident.

Important Suggestions

1. Use soft water.
2. The solution weakens with use because the corrosive sublimate is carried out of solution condensed on the potatoes. "Dirt also condenses the chemical and takes it out of solution. Snacks take a great deal of the corrosive sublimate out of the treating solution. With clean potatoes, dipped from crates directly into the solution, the solution, probably from one-tenth to one-fifth of the corrosive sublimate is removed with each batch. With potatoes treated in bags, one-fourth or more of the corrosive sublimate is removed with each batch.
3. Therefore, the farmer must use his judgment in strengthening the solution.
4. With clean potatoes, treated directly in the vat or barrel, in which the dirt has been cleaned out, add one ounce for each 50 gallons of liquid after each second batch is treated. When the solution gets very dirty make up a fresh solution.
5. With dirty potatoes, treated in sacks, add one ounce of corrosive sublimate after each batch is treated in order to keep up the strength of the solution.
6. One-half pound of corrosive sublimate will treat from 15 to 30 bushels, depending upon the freedom from dirt, sacks, broken, rotted potatoes, etc.
7. Do not use metal containers. For treating large quantities use a vat or cement tank or smaller quantities use barrels, sugar barrels, well-sealed, make a cheap treating outfit.
8. One-half hour is long enough to treat; but one and one-half hours soaking does not damage the potatoes. Longer soaking is not safe.
9. After treating and putting, potatoes must either be planted at once or kept cool, dry and well-aired.
10. Dissolve the corrosive sublimate in a glass jar, using hot water.
11. Again, remember the extremely poisonous nature of corrosive sublimate.

Stained Seed Bill Has Become Law.
 When President Coolidge signed the Gooding-Ketchum seed-staining bill it marked the end of a successful fight by organized farmers to protect their interests against unscrupulous and ignorant dealers in clover and alfalfa seed.

For years poor stands of clover and alfalfa have been the cause of the trouble, in many cases, was undependable seed imported from warm countries. Seed dealers in this country bought this cheap foreign seed, mixed it with domestic seed and sold it at big profits for clear domestic seed. It looked good and made a fine start, but it could not withstand our severe northern winters.

Then the Michigan Farm Bureau began to furnish our farmers with guaranteed northern-grown seed, and the difference in results was so obvious that a wave of protest against seed of unknown origin was started. This movement for better and more reliable seed finally spread over the whole country and resulted in the passage of the seed-staining bill by the present Congress. Some of the old-line seed dealers put up a hard fight to prevent its passage, but with the pressure of many bodies of organized farmers behind it, it finally became a law.

The Michigan Farm Bureau and Professor J. F. Cox of the Michigan State College deserve great credit for their work in favor of the bill while it was before Congress.

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

Origin of Chess

The exact date of the origin of chess is not known, but some authorities say that Palamedes, a Greek hero, invented the game in 1080 B. C. A game practically the same as the chess of today was played in Hindustan nearly 5,000 years ago. Paul Morphy, a great American player, toured Europe in 1858 and defeated all of the best players of his day.

Michigan Happenings

American capital is being diverted to Ontario because of the embargo of Ontario hard wood logs passed two years ago, it was revealed at Sault Ste. Marie with the announcement that a concern to be known as Ontario Hardwood Lumber Company, will erect sawmills, flooring plants, veneer plants near Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario. The firm will be obliged to make the finished product before it can be shipped out of Ontario. The output must be 25,000,000 feet a year, according to the agreement with the Ontario government.

Dr. J. Humphrey, captain of the 119th Ambulance company of Monroe received word from the state administrative board that the board has authorized the appropriation of \$50,000 for the erection of an armory for the howitzer and ambulance companies. The expenditure was authorized by the last legislature. Plans are being formulated for the proposed building and it is expected work will be started in six weeks.

William J. Braunlich, of Monroe, has been elected president of the Monroe real estate board, which has been organized there. Eight real estate dealers attended the meeting. Fred G. Kiburtz is the secretary and treasurer. This action was taken following a visit by John A. Doelle, Lansing, executive secretary of the Michigan Real Estate association who addressed the Monroe Rotary club recently.

The Government of Michigan can well afford to put a "reasonable" amount of money into the advertising of the state's recreational advantages to the rest of the nation, declared Gov. Alex. Groesbeck in addressing the Lake Frontage Development and Tourist Conference at Muskegon. He expressed the view that a short-sighted policy of economy has been followed in the past.

Plans which include paving 10 streets and laying a trunk line sewer and three smaller sewers have been announced Wednesday by the village commission of Birmingham. More equipment will be added to the village park and two cooking stoves will be placed there for the convenience of picnickers. Estimates on the cost of the proposed improvements have not been tabulated.

Allan Jones and Frank D. Clark, teller and bookkeeper, respectively, of the First National Bank of Lake Linden, were arrested May 15, on a general warrant charging the embezzlement of approximately \$40,000. The complaint was signed by United States Bank Examiner William F. Sheehan. There will be no loss to the bank as it is fully protected by surety bonds.

Guests at the wedding of Miss Lola Laninga and Gerrit Pengema, at Cullerville, left the party long enough to save the home of George Morris, nearby, from destruction by fire. Soon after the Rev. C. R. Vanhalsma had read the service, flames enveloped the Morris barn. The wedding party formed a bucket brigade and succeeded in saving the home.

Acting on the resolution of Commissioner George Crabbe, the city council of Saginaw has directed the Saginaw Prospecting company to sink another oil well in the Deindorfer woods, which the company has under lease for development from the city. The city has been receiving royalty from the company's first well which was sunk in the Deindorfer woods.

The Shreve garage at Bridgeport was destroyed by fire when the gasolene tank of a sedan, owned by Frank Hunter, Saginaw, overpowered and caught fire. The fire quickly spread to the garage, a two-story frame building. Leonard Shreve, owner of the garage, and David L. Bremo, one of the occupants of the car, suffered burns.

Authority to incorporate in Michigan with a capital stock of \$1,000,000 has been granted the Detroit River Subways company by the state public utilities commission. The company plans to build two double-tube tunnels for vehicular and train passage between Detroit and Windsor at the outlet and add more tubes as traffic increases.

Charles Shierson, who successfully handled the Community Chest fund drive last year has again been appointed manager for the campaign at Adrian this year. The appointment was made by directors of the chamber of commerce. A committee to assist Shierson will be selected.

Thomas Mitchell, a potato shipper at Stanwood, was arraigned recently in justice court at Big Rapids on federal complaint that he shipped a carload of poor potatoes to the Detroit market. He pleaded guilty and was assessed \$16, covering fine and costs.

Distracted because of the late start in spring work on his large farm, Alfred Glaser, 60 years old, residing six miles north of Lowell, shot and instantly killed himself.

Home economic is on the brink of the most tremendous opportunity the profession has yet known, in the habilitation of broken-down families, in education of parents on methods of child care and training, and in informing the public of rudimentary principles of wise eating and sane living. Miss Mary Sweeney, nutrition specialist at Merrill Palmer School, Detroit, told home economics students at Michigan State College recently. Miss Sweeney was formerly dean of home economics at the State College.

Only three of the \$60 members of Loomis battery, a famous Civil War contingent met at Coldwater May 19 in the organization's fifty-second annual reunion. There are six survivors of the batteries. The three who were in attendance are James H. Haynes, of Battle Creek, and George W. Jeffers, and A. E. Grove both of Coldwater. The three unable to attend, on account of illness and for other reasons are John W. Wench, of Jackson, C. J. McCall, of Milford, and H. K. Kellogg, of Jefferson Grove, Ohio.

Many good citizens who are acting on the theory that there has been an unofficial repeal or modification of the eighteenth amendment "cannot" be shouted down, cannot be clubbed down, they can only be voted down," Arthur H. Vandenberg, Grand Rapids publisher, declared there in discussing "Prohibition and the Citizen." The greatest service that can be rendered prohibition is to precipitate this plebesite," he stated.

George J. Eisenmann, probation officer of Monroe county, has been instructed by Judge Carl Frank, juvenile judge to investigate conditions at a public dance hall in Monroe county. Mr. Frank said that the request for an investigation was made after young girls brought before him as delinquents had admitted that they frequented dance halls without chaperones and that some dance halls did not provide proper supervision of their patrons.

High school girls of Luther pulled the hand bar of an old-fashioned pump and high school boys helped form a bucket brigade to save buildings east of Main street when fire destroyed four structures there May 17, with a loss of several thousand dollars. Harry Brant, superintendent of the Luther Agricultural school, deferred calling classes to permit students to help fight the fire.

Elizabeth H. Hanley, New York city, nagant director of the Play Grounds and Recreation Association of America, has arrived at Monroe and has begun intensive work on the historic pageant to be given there June 29-30, along the banks of Plum creek. About 1,500 persons from Monroe city and county will take part.

By agreeing to mortgage her home and repay the \$274.44 embezzled by her daughter, Evelyn, former deputy county clerk, Mrs. John Matteson, of St. Johns, has saved the daughter from a term in prison. Evelyn was placed on probation for two years when she pleaded guilty in Circuit court to the theft of county funds.

The state has started a conditions survey of M-24 between Saginaw and Midland with a view to ascertaining whether the present gravel base will take an asphalt top coat to make a permanent road. It is proposed to do the work when the state asphalt plant is finished working in lower central Michigan.

The Hotel Townsend at Lansing has been closed by M. N. Nakfor, the proprietor, to clear the way for construction of the proposed Y. M. C. A. building, which will occupy the site and adjoining property. Nakfor now is completing arrangements for opening the new Hotel Strand.

An extensive Boy Scout program will be undertaken at once by the Owosso Rotary Club, it is announced. Several troops will be formed and will become a part of the Flint area council. A Boy Scout band also is likely. Owosso, for many years, has had but one troop.

Sheriff Frank Schram, Oakland Co has started a campaign against the operation of slot machines in the county. About twice a year the sheriff has a general cleanup of am machines. The sheriff has ordered him to seize every slot machine found in operation.

Surveyors have been ordered by the state and county commission to lay out the three-mile Caro-Wahja meja pavement on M-81 and actual construction will be rushed as soon as the route is laid. It will be almost in a direct line.

"You never can win unless you are clean within." Fielding H. Yost, veteran football coach of the University of Michigan, told the boys of Kalamazoo, at a mass meeting in Central high auditorium, featuring the opening of Kalamazoo's first Boy's Week. "The American boy who would succeed at anything, worth while, must prepare himself for things worth while," the coach said. "And there is nothing that contributes more to this preparation than a clean mind and body."

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage executed by William Millikin and Helen M. Millikin to the Owosso Savings Bank of Owosso, Michigan, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County, Michigan on July 20, 1912 in liber I of mortgages on page 53 and 54, which mortgage was dated July 20, 1912 and which was assigned to Janette Fox July 14, 1925, said assignment being recorded in liber F of mortgages on page 575 on February 1st, 1926. On which mortgage there is now due for principal, interest and taxes the sum of \$1361.45 and attorneys fee as stipulated in said mortgage and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt now claimed to be due on said mortgage or any part thereof, and therefore the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises hereinafter described by reason of the power of the sale contained in said mortgage, which sale will be made at public auction at the front door of the Court house in the village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held) on the fourth day of June 1926 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, which premises described in said mortgage are as follows: the west half of the northeast quarter and the east half of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-nine and the south sixty acres of the south half of the southeast quarter of section four, all in township twenty-five north range three west, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated March 9th, 1926.
 Janette Fox, Assignee of mortgage.
 Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for assignee of mortgage, Grayling, Michigan. 3-11-13

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Charles L. Hatch and wife, Jessie Hatch, to Mary E. Mesick, dated January 16th, 1915, recorded January 20th, 1915 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Otsego County, Michigan, in Liber F of Mortgages, on page 400, on which mortgage there is claimed due at this time Eight Hundred Twenty Dollars, principal, interest and taxes paid, and a statutory Attorney's fees of twenty-five dollars, and no suit at law or in Chancery having been commenced to recover any part of the same. Now, therefore, notice is given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by Statutory sale of the premises described therein at the front door of the Court House in the City of Gaylord, Otsego County, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for said County is held, on the Seventh day of June A. D. 1926 at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Said premises are described as the East Half of the North West Quarter of section fourteen, township thirty one north of Range Four West, Otsego County, Michigan.

Dated March sixth, 1926.
 MARY E. MESICK, Mortgagee.
 MESICK & MILLER,
 Attorneys for Mortgagee.
 Petoskey, Michigan. 3-11-13

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the nineteenth day of April A. D. 1926.
 Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.
 In the Matter of the Estate of James Smith, deceased.
 Andrew Hart, the appointed Administrator of said Estate having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.
 It is ordered, that the tenth day of May A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.
 It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON,
 Judge of Probate.
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 Judge of Probate. 4-22-3

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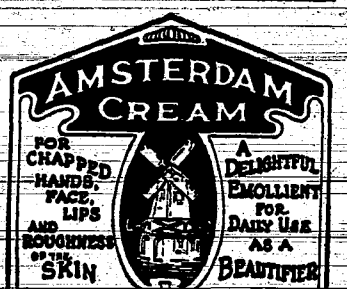
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GEORGE SORENSON
 Judge of Probate.

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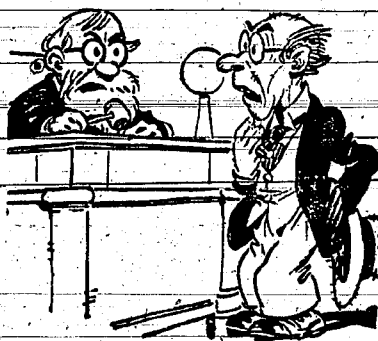
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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1926

POPPIES

I never see a poppy red,
But minds me of our soldiers dead.
Each waiting in his tent of clay
The dawn of the resurrection day.
While drowsily above his bed
The "sleep flower" hangs its crimson head.
A sign to those who wait and weep
"He giveth His beloved sleep."
—Helen Hughes Hiescher.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Wait motored to Gaylord Monday.

A week's washing FREE, call 292 for demonstration.

The Thomas Trudo family spent the week end in Afton.

Cream cottage cheese, fresh every day. 20c per lb. Grayling Creamery.

Mrs. Al. Cramer was removed from her home to Mercy hospital Tuesday for treatment.

Miss Helen Babbitt is taking a week's vacation from her duties at the Gift Shop.

A complete line of black kid and satin slippers in all widths and sizes have just arrived at Olson's.

The Philout shirt with the reversible cuff, newest fad. Value, \$3.00. This week at Frank's for \$2.69.

For good things for your Sunday meals attend the Bake Sale at Mac & Gidley's Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L. Coutts and children left for Gaylord Tuesday, called there by the illness of her mother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Porter of Gaylord were guests last Sunday afternoon of the R. D. Bailey family.

Miss Angela Amborski was the guest of her friend, Mrs. James Shields of Cheboygan last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barnes and daughter of Jackson were week end guests at the home of J. L. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley and grandson Sam Gust spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Winer of Vandervilt.

The Richard Babbitt family of Maple Forest were in the city Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Babbitt and family.

The ladies of St. Mary's church will give a bake sale next Saturday afternoon at the Mac & Gidley drug store, beginning at 2:00 o'clock.

We have fresh buttermilk every Thursday. This makes a refreshing drink and is excellent for baking. Try some. Grayling Creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schley and three children of Cheboygan motored here Sunday to visit Mrs. Schley's sister, Mrs. Mose Laurent.

The regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 will be held on Wednesday evening, June 2nd, initiation and refreshments.

Mrs. Sarah Dunlop returned to her home in Grand Rapids Saturday afternoon, spending a week visiting her daughter Mrs. J. L. Martin and family.

Grayling Electric Co. now handles the world leading washing machines. The EASY, the MAYTAG and the AUTOMATIC. Come in and see these machines.

John J. Willson of Flint is a guest of Mr. Edward W. Creque Sr. at his cabin on the AuSable. This is his first visit to this region and he says that he is greatly enjoying the outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merry and son Lyle of Gaylord were visiting Grayling friends last Sunday, and in the afternoon took in the sights of the fish hatchery and inspected the finny tribe.

R. W. McKinley and wife and daughter Joyce, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Evans and her brother Luther, motored down from Gaylord last Sunday afternoon and paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKinley.

This is the last week of the American Legion membership drive, so if there are any ex-service men in the county who are not members, now is the time to join. See any one of the members. Since the drive opened the Post has increased their membership by five.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lamont of Montpelier have been spending several days here visiting their sister Mrs. A. L. Cramer, who is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Lamont and Mrs. James Lamont and daughter Joyce of Bay City came to spend the day visiting Mrs. Cramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Johnson and son Emil of Grand Rapids and a friend, Mr. David Flanders were in Grayling, guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. George Sorenson and family. The gentlemen came to attend the Oddfellow meeting Friday night, enjoying fishing Saturday.

At the regular meeting of Grayling American Legion Post 106 last Monday evening, plans for the celebration of Independence day in Grayling were discussed. Further announcement of the plans made will be given later. One thing sure is—it will be a real celebration. The boys never do anything by halves, which is a good motto.

Miss Michelyn Amborski left for her home in Gaylord yesterday to spend a couple of weeks after which time she will go to Grand Rapids to take a six months course at St. Mary's hospital. Miss Rose Cassidy will also go at that time. Both are graduate nurses of the 1926 class from the Grayling Mercy Hospital training school.

Grayling high school base ball team have made quite a record so far this season winning both games played. A couple of weeks ago they defeated their northern neighbors, Grayling, by a score of 10 to 1, and last Friday were victorious over Roscommon by a score of 9 to 5. The latter game was full of thrills, a feature of the game being a home run by Matt Bidvia of the locals, probably the first home run to be made by a member of a high school team on the home grounds.

This occurred in the third inning when Roscommon was leading the run tying the score. Bidvia and Brady were the batters for Grayling and Gardiner and Murphy for Roscommon.

See the new fancy slippers at \$4.50 and \$5.00 at Olson's.

Cream cottage cheese, fresh every day. 20c per lb. Grayling Creamery.

Mrs. S. E. Clark of Detroit is at her summer home at Lake Margrethe for the season.

The EASY washing machine possesses all the features of a modern washer. Call 292.

Moving pictures will be taken of the Memorial day procession. Join in the parade at ten o'clock.

Five million wall-eyed pike from a Bay City fish hatchery were planted recently in Houghton Lake.

Mrs. Harold Kittleman of Chicago has joined her mother, Mrs. H. W. Wolff at the Wolff cottage at Lake Margrethe.

The local high school track team will go to Atlanta June 4th to compete in the Track meet to be held there again this season.

The Frederic high school baccalaureate session will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening, May 30, 1926. Everyone welcome.

Frank L. Michelson of Detroit is the president of a golf club, known as the Houghton Heights Golf club that was organized recently at Houghton Lake.

Have you seen our new Electric Range? A special rate on electricity will be extended to all those who take advantage of this modern convenience. Phone 204.

Mrs. Anna Insley of Hamtramck and brother Robert Reagan of Detroit were in Grayling over Sunday, guests at the home of their brother, Robert Reagan, also calling on old friends.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding reception on Saturday evening, June 12 of Miss Grace Albertine daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Bauman and Mr. Walter Henderson Woodson, Jr. of Salisbury, North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jerome and family of Pontiac were in Grayling over the week end, guests at the Mr. A. Bates home. Mr. Jerome is making extensive repairs on his summer home at Lake Margrethe and comes up each week end to look after the work.

The "New Windmere lodge" owned by Stanley Breaugh on Houghton Lake was opened to the public last Sunday. It is a two-story frame structure, containing 25 rooms with all modern equipment, cobblestone fireplaces, and screened-in porches.

Don't miss seeing Mary Pickford in "Little Annie Rooney" at the Grayling Opera House next Tuesday and Wednesday, June 1st and 2nd. On Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 there will be a special matinee for the children, when they will get a chance to get into the movies themselves. Matinee 10c.

Mrs. Squires, county nurse, reports one case of Red measles and one of whooping cough at present. The three children in the William Brade home are in Grayling, and the two Jynkolka children have the whooping cough. Caution should be taken to keep these diseases down by being careful with the first cases.

The township board recently made a good movement when they made a small appropriation towards adorning the local cemetery with flower beds. Eight beds have been arranged for and they will be made up of attractively colored flowers. This will be a nice improvement. The cemeteries are looking very nice already this season, having been nicely cleaned up and the rubbish disposed of.

Mrs. Daisy Bulkley Taylor, a field worker in the interest of the Woman's Home Missionary society, will be in Grayling Friday and Saturday evening will give a talk at the Michelson Memorial church. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Taylor is in attendance at the convention of this organization held in West Branch today, and stops in Grayling on her way north to Marquette.

Grayling lodge I. O. O. F. were honored last Friday evening with a visit from Grand Master Eugene Hanson and his wife of Tawas City and Grand Secretary Fred A. Rogers of Reading. There were also a number of other visitors. Peter E. Johnson of Grand Rapids, a member of the lodge, and his son Emil, the latter who is a member of the Grand Rapids Lodge, and Mr. David Flanders of Grand Rapids Lodge No. 141, and visitors from Oscoda, Bay City and Standish lodges. About fifty of the local members were present, together with several from the Rebekah order.

A lovely lunch arranged by a committee from the Rebekah lodge was very much enjoyed during which Mrs. Hanson, wife of the Grand Master, was presented with a pretty gift as it became known that she was celebrating her birthday anniversary that day. Mrs. Hanson is grand chaplain of the Rebekah assembly.

Miss Elda Mae Gierke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke was united in marriage to Mr. Herbert Serven, son of Frank Serven of this city Saturday evening. Rev. J. Herman Baughn of the Michelson Memorial church performed the ceremony and a large number of guests were attended by Miss Beulah Larson and Mr. Herbert Stephan. Following the ceremony the wedding party motored to Mancelona, where they were guests of Mr. Stephan's sister, Mrs. Harold Skingley, the young people visiting relatives of the bride in East Jordan Sunday. Mrs. Serven is one of the operators at the local telephone exchange. Mr. Serven is employed at the Corvin Auto Sales. They both have many friends who extend to them congratulations and the best of wishes for a long and happy wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Serven have light housekeeping quarters in the Hans Niederer home, where they are at home to their friends.

Something new! Snappy Pack Kite of ice cream. Per quart, 45c; pint 25c. Grayling Creamery. (Additional Local News on last Page)

I. O. O. F. Memorial day will be held Sunday June 6, when all Oddfellows and Rebekahs are requested to meet at the Oddfellow temple at 9:00 o'clock A. M. The Memorial address will be given at the Michelson Memorial church after which the members will march to the cemeteries to decorate the graves of their deceased members. (Signed) Committee.

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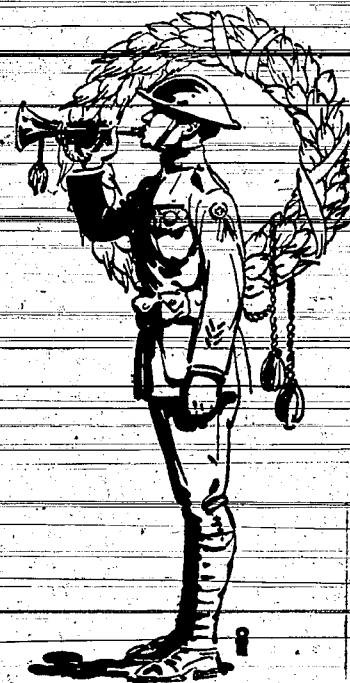
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Local News

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Carl Nelson is the new meat cutter at the Hugel market.

Mrs. W. H. Harrington of Gaylord was the guest of Mrs. and Mrs. R. D. Bailey over Sunday.

Try our "Snappy Pack Kits" of ice cream, 45c a quart, 25c a pint.

Grayling Creamery.

Grayling Electric Co. deals in everything electrical—let us serve you.

Huckleberries are in blossom and persimmons there are no more frosts during the growing season, the crop promises to be a most prolific one.

Mrs. Ross Sparke and son returned to their home in Ferndale Tuesday after spending a few days here visiting her mother, Mrs. G. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Creque and children of Flint are expected to come to Grayling next Sunday to visit Mrs. Creque's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen.

Miss Ruby L. Stephan has been selected as valedictorian of her class, that of '28 of Grayling high school. The young lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Stephan who reside on the Avalance.

M. T. Younk of Detroit visited his wife and baby at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen last Sunday. Mrs. Younk and little son are spending a number of weeks in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens and children of Lovells visited over Sunday at the home of Holger Schmidt. Mr. and Mrs. Owens recently moved from Detroit to the Owens farm near Lovells, owing to ill health of the former.

The Grayling Opera House is offering a couple of good productions in the near future. Next Tuesday and Wednesday, Mary Pickford in "Little Annie Rooney," and Sunday and Monday, June 6th and 7th, Douglas Fairbanks in "Don Q. Son of Zorro." Don't miss either of these.

Buy Robin Hood shoes for children and be satisfied, at Olson's.

An Eureka vacuum cleaner on easy terms, call 292 for demonstration. Grayling Electric Co.

Most of the stores and business places will close all day Monday, when Memorial day will be observed.

Miss Lucille Hanson has returned home from several weeks' visit in New York, Chicago and Detroit.

Miss Elizabeth Alexander expects to leave today for Chicago, where she will visit relatives for several months. The work on Hans K. Nelson's garage building on M-14 is progressing nicely, and looks as though it will soon be ready for the painters.

A. M. Lewis was in Grayling the last of the week visiting his family at Lake Margrethe. For some time Mr. Lewis has been scouting around trying to find a suitable drug store business, and finally has located in the thriving city of Flint, after having looked over a number of other prospects. He says he has found just what he wants and knows that he is going to like it. Mr. Lewis sold his excellent business in Grayling a little over a year ago to Mac & Gidley.

Of interest to their friends will be the announcement of the marriage of Mrs. Mina Welch, widow of the late George Welch to Mr. Karl Wilson of Flint. The marriage ceremony took place in Grayling Wednesday of last week, and after spending a few days here visiting the bride's daughter, Mrs. A. L. Coutts the happy couple left for Montrose, where they will make their home. Both are former well-known residents of Grayling and have the best wishes of many friends.

On invitation of the Gaylord K. P. fraternity some fourteen members of the local Pythian lodge journeyed up to our neighboring city last evening and witnessed a class of nine promising aspirants for Knighthood initiated into membership. The program included some very nifty stunts by the "Stocking-foot brigade," and the brethren uncorked their joy and let it flow unconfined. After the lodge work was over a gastronomic feast and gabfest was held in which the orators of the Order expounded the beneficent features of the fraternity in poems of praise and salutory imitations. The following are those who made the trip: Roy Armstrong, E. J. McClain, Tracy Nelson, J. P. Peterson, Harry Hemmingson, Holger Peterson, Fred Alexander, Dell Weir, Clarence Brown, Herluf Sorenson, Hans L. Peterson, Emil Giesling, Lyle Milks and H. C. McKinley.

The Welcome Sign

"Nobody asked me sir," said the coy maiden. And in matters of buying, as well as in affairs of the heart, most people like to be "asked." Often, indeed, they insist on a proper invitation.

Speak up. Light up. Hundreds of good customers are listening for your message and watching for your welcome sign in THE AVALANCHE.

People Shop Where They Feel Welcome

Buy Martha Washington slippers for wide tender feet, at Olson's. Because British schoolmasters voted that no male teacher should take orders from a woman principal, the women teachers of England are up in arms. Their national union termed the action of the men as "sex warfare" and declared they would battle out the issue to the finish.

American styles are the result of what baseball followers would call a double play. Hollywood to Paris to New York. So assert motion picture executives after visiting Paris and seeing styles copied or adapted from American films.

Why take a chance of losing your home by fire without insurance? Insurance in one of our companies means that tomorrow is safe. Palmer Fire Insurance Agency, Avalance office.

Freeman's oxfords for men are a real comfort at \$5.00 and \$5.50 at Olson's.

NATIONAL OUT-DOOR LIFE EXPOSITION NEAR SUCCESS

By Estelline Bennett
Michigan brought her Indian basket makers from Dowagiac, and her baby coyotes from the Upper Peninsula, her summer resorts and her boats, to help create the illusion of out-doors in the Culicum, Chicago, at the Fourth Annual National Out-Door Life Exposition.

Gogebic of the Upper Peninsula, Grand Beach and the Upper Peninsula Development Company all had alluring exhibits, to tell the story of out-door recreation in Michigan in the summer. Some of the most beautiful boats in the Exposition came from Detroit, Albion and other Michigan cities. Some of the most popular auto-camping equipment was furnished by Michigan firms.

The Fourth Annual National Out-Door Life Exposition was the most attractive from a show standpoint that has yet been given. A dozen porcupines in a large pine tree overlooking the small lagoons was the first bit of out-doors and wild life that met the visitors at the entrance. All the booths were decorated with evergreen and many with birch bark. In addition to the many skins, heads and stuffed animals, there were a large number of wild animals; there were half-grown bears, tiny bear cubs, deer, baby coyotes, woodchucks, squirrels and the porcupine family in the pine tree was augmented during the show by the arrival of two little porcupines.

Among the new attractions at the show were the log rolling and the wood chopping and casting contests. A stye show of Correct Out-Door Clothes was put on in the afternoon by Von Lengerke & Antoine, with girls from the "Castles in the Air Company" as models, on a balcony specially built around the gallery of the north annex. The young women showed costumes for hunting, fishing, hiking, camping, golf, tennis and riding, both in the park and mountain trails.

The Fifth Annual National Out-Door Life Exposition, which promises to be the largest and most picturesque of them all, will be held in the Culicum in Chicago, May 9 to 15, 1927.

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks and gratitude is hereby extended to our friends and neighbors and the members of the fraternal society, who were so kind during our late bereavement, the death of our wife and mother. And to those who sent the beautiful floral offerings.

John Ensign and family.

NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for the construction of concrete sidewalks and cross walks in accordance with specifications on file in my office. Bids will be received up to and including June 7th, 1926. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

CL. IS JENSON, Village Clerk.

GAYLORD ENTERTAINS O. E. S.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Wolverine Association of the Order of the Eastern Star was held at Gaylord on Friday, May 21 and was attended by a large gathering of members from the eleven affiliated chapters.

The Grand and Past Grand officers present were as follows: Grand Worthy Matron, Lizzie Shaffer, Saginaw; Grand Esther, Nettie Kaufman, Saginaw; Past Grand Worthy Matron, Ada Sangster, Cheboygan; Past Grand Electa, Rae Kramen, Gaylord; Past Grand Worthy Matron, Grace Priggett, Gaylord; Past Grand Worthy Matron, Weir, West Branch; President of the Wayne County Association, Mrs. Beulah Cohen, Detroit.

The following were in attendance from Grayling Chapter: Mr. and Mrs. Grant Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Herrick, Mesdames Schoonover, Matson, Walt, Burton, Knibbs, Fels, Mac, Ashenfelter, McLeod, Schlotz, Peterson, Woods, Bradley, Olson, Price, Decker, Hendrie, Rasmussen, Cecile Harris, Vera Matson, Martha Weir.

The streets were made festive by flags, welcome banners and O. E. S. emblems and colors were displayed by the business places, charming the eyes of the visitors who were royally received by a welcoming committee.

After a most delicious six o'clock dinner the evening session was called and a fine program was put on by the Gaylord Chapter, after which a school of instruction was given by the Grand Worthy Matron, Lizzie Shaffer of Saginaw.

The Association meeting will be held in Alpena.

WALTONIANS GETTING OUT SPORTSMEN'S BOOKLET

Pres. Zalsman Asks Advertisers to Hurry Copy

For some time Philip G. Zalsman has been busy working hard to compile a copy for a booklet that will be of interest to the general public. It will contain a list of interesting reading matter pertaining to Crawford county and also advertisements of most of our business places, manufacturers, etc.

It is hoped that this copy may be ready for the printer by June 1st. There will be about 40 pages in the booklet, of a size that will fit a regular size business envelope. It will require about thirty days to do the printing, so Mr. Zalsman is anxious that all advertisers get busy and spend a few minutes in preparing the copy for their advertisements. This is important and should be done at once.

List of Advertisers

At this time the following firms have contracted for advertising space:

Shoppengauz Inn.
T. E. Douglas
Shoppengauz Coffee Room.
Wayside Inn, Lake Margrethe.
"Try It" Cafe.
Bank of Grayling.
Schoonover & Hanson.
Reisen & Cooley.
Central Drug Store.
Mac & Gidley.
Grayling Creamery.
Peterson's Grocery.
N. Schlotz Grocery.
Ray Keyport & Clippert.
R. D. Connine.
Olson's Shoe Store.
Burrows' Market.
Sorenson & Sons.
Kesseler's Billiard Parlors.
Geo. Alexander & Son.
Sorenson Bros.
E. E. Bugby.
Grayling Opera House.
T. W. Hanson.
Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co.
Grayling Box Co.
Alfred Hanson.
Emil Nierver.
Grayling Mercantile Co.
Grayling Fuel Co.
Standard Oil Co.
Camp Romeo.
Mrs. John Stephan.
Henry Stephan.
George Stephan.
County of Crawford.
Village of Grayling.
Township of Lovells.
Township of South Branch.
The Crawford Avalanche.

And there are a number of others intending to have advertisements; and Mr. Zalsman asks that all interested please send him their copy P. D. Q.

LOVELLS NEWS

A. J. Pearsall and family of Johanneburg spent Sunday with Mrs. Joe Douglas.

The "Out Our Way" show that was here Wednesday night had a great attendance. At least all of Lovells turned out for the great occasion.

Clifton Anstey of Ashley spent a few days with Miss Cora Nephew. His mother and little brother James of Lansing accompanied him.

Brewster Loud entertained a party of friends at his club house on Big Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rowe and daughter of Detroit were in Lovells for a few days.

William Macaron and son Ted and wife were at their summer cottage.

RAILROAD PROSPERITY NEEDED

The time has not yet come when we may sidestep our obligations to maintain our railroads in satisfactory operating condition. "Old Dobbin" has all but passed out, motor vehicles have their specific fields of utility, but upon the "Iron Horse" still rests the burden of the nation's greater transportation problems.

Railroads are entitled to earn enough to pay a reasonable return on the money supplied by their stockholders. Last year, the movement of a rail-road freight traffic passed a new high water mark, and we trust that days of reconstruction are over for American railroads and that they will enter into a new prosperity which shall be shared in by each and every one of us, for we are all, directly or indirectly, dependent upon the railroads of this country for our assurance of continued progress, prosperity and happiness.

ARE YOU TIRED, ACHY, ALL RUN DOWN?

This Grayling Resident Tells You How to Get Well

Tired all the time? Lame, stiff and achy? Tortured with nagging backache? Knife-like twinges when you stoop or lift? Miserable with headaches, dizzy spells and bladder irregularities? All are signs of kidney sickness! Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys.

Here's Grayling testimony: Mrs. A. Knibbs, Peninsular Ave. says: "I had bearing-down pains that the small of my back and when I stooped to do my housework, sharp, knife-like pains darted across my kidneys. I was nervous and my kidneys were weak. Two boxes of Doan's Pills, from Mac & Gidley's Drug store, were all that was needed to give me a lasting cure."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Knibbs had! Foster-Milburn Co., Mrs. Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by Mac & Gidley, local druggists.

LOVELLS SCHOOL NOTES

Here we are again, but for the last time, as our school closes May 28th. We are having a picnic at Worst's Place.

The seventh grade is having final exams in history, arithmetic and grammar. The first grade played two of their stories in their readers "The Race" and "The Three Pigs." They have finished their readers and are reviewing.

Lewis Stillwagon received the prize for having the most stars—48 honor marks in the second grade and Elmo Nephew in the first grade.

Gerald Miller had the honor of saving his arithmetic composition book with 115 lessons in it. The seventh grade finished making their maps of Michigan, putting in ten cities and a product of each one. Gerald Miller entertained his friends in honor of his tenth birthday last week. Games were played, a lovely supper was given, which included a dainty birthday cake with ten candles on it. Gerald received many nice gifts.

Mr. Payne visited our school. The second grade are reviewing in numbers work, and are doing nicely.

Hurrah, Hurrah, vacation time! Has come around once more! We will pack away all our books. And bid for out of door.

"Till We Meet again," Lovells School.

Europeans say that Uncle Sam was the only one to benefit from the war, but we would be willing to trade him for a few dollars' worth of rain. Shanting, one third of Africa, and a flock of islands which somebody took away from Germany.

TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW MEETS JUNE 14-15

The annual meeting of the Board of Review of the township of Grayling will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday and Tuesday, June 14-15. The public is cordially invited to call and look over their assessments at this time. If anyone has any criticism to make, this is the time to do it. Don't wait until tax time to find fault, for then it is too late to make any changes. Do so at the Board meetings on the above dates.

A. J. NELSON, Supervisor Grayling Twp. 5-20-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Thirty-fourth Judicial Circuit in Chancery Suit Pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford in Chancery

South Branch Township Unit School District, Plaintiff.

Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Railroad Company, Defendant.

At Gladwin, Michigan, May 8th, 1926.

In this cause, the plaintiff having filed its bill of complaint under oath, and the affidavit of Phebe Williams, from which it appears that the defendant Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Railroad Company was a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Michigan, and that its corporate existence expired on the 27th day of September, 1916 and that it surrounded its charter and ceased to do business on said last mentioned date.

It is ordered that the appearance of said defendant, Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Railroad Company, be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and that in case of its appearance it cause its answer to the bill of complaint herein to be filed and a copy thereof served on the attorneys for plaintiff, within fifteen days after service upon it or its attorney, of a copy of said bill of complaint and of this order, and that in default thereof said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by said defendant Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Railroad Company.

It is further ordered that within twenty days plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in the county of Crawford in said state and that said publication be continued thereof once in each week for at least six successive weeks.

Guy E. Smith, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned: Frank Sales, County Clerk.

Sprague & Shepherd, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Business Address: Cheboygan, Mich. The lands involved in the above cause are described as:

Commencing at the center post of section 29, Township 25 North, Range 1 West; thence running north 10 rods; thence west 16 rods; thence south 10 rods; thence east 16 rods to the place of beginning, containing one acre of land in the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of the north-west quarter of section 29, Township 25 North, Range 1 West, in the county of Crawford and State of Michigan.

Sprague & Shepherd, Attorneys for Plaintiff. A true copy: Frank Sales, County Clerk.

Lightning Change Artist



Ladies' Coats

FRANK says: Just received a new lot of Ladies' Coats which I am able to sell at 25 per cent discount

on account of buying late. Your opportunity. Twills, fur-trimmed; also sport models. You will say "I am glad I waited." They will make you smile.

Silk Dresses

a new lot of Silk Dresses in prints, plaids, and stripes. For Saturday will have Ladies' Apron Dresses at 98c Also a new line of Girl's Hats!

Have a few ladies' Wool and Velvet Dresses, \$9.00 and \$10.00 values, which I will close out at \$6.45

Men's Sailor Hats are a fine bargain at \$1.98 None better

Newest thing in Ladies' Sport Jackets.

Young men's Oxfords, \$4.50 and \$5.00 values, are attracting attention at \$3.95

Black and white Gold Cream and Powder at 25c

Shoes for youth's and boy's, with Uskid soles, sold regardless of profit at FRANK'S. Better investigate.

"How is business, Frank?" "Good! and I am making it better. Prices well directed brings it at

FRANK'S



Printed Business Forms Save Time

Forms printed by us to meet the needs of your business may be the means of saving you many dollars on one single business transaction. Let us call and figure with you on the forms you could use advantageously.

Avalanche---Phone 1112